## Bio

Naseema is a long-time resident of New Haven, and has many years of management experience in both the non-profit and corporate world. Growing up in Indiana, Naseema was aware of the importance of equitable food access, as well as support for farmers, at a young age.

As the daughter of an immigrant from Afghanistan, Naseema has always championed refugee rights, and supported organizations that prioritize DEI work. Most recently, she was a co-founder of the Anti-Racism Committee at Girl Scouts of Connecticut.

In her spare time, she loves to cook meals with her husband, spend time with her son, listen to records, bike around New Haven, and relax with her dog.